



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **OHASHI, Tatsuya, et al.**

Group Art Unit: **1641**

Serial No.: **10/538,912**

Examiner: **GRUN, James Leslie**

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For. **IMMUNOASSAY METHOD AND KIT TO BE USED THEREIN**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Date: May 16, 2008

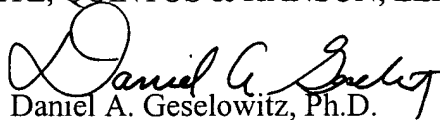
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated February 5, 2008, for one month, from May 5, 2008, to June 5, 2008.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340 in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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